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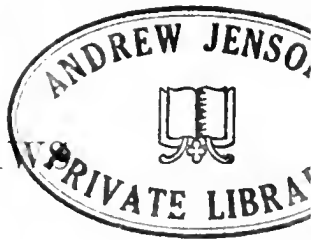
OF THE

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TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION OF DESERET.

PREAMBLE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, do hereby adopt and agree to obey the following CONSTITUTION, and the several BY-LAWS that may be enacted in accordance with its provisions:—

ARTICLE I.

NAME AND OBJECT.

This Society shall be called the TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION OF DESERET. Its object shall be the progressive development of every art and science which may conduce to the moral, or intellectual improvement of its members; and the common good.

ARTICLE II.

SECTION 1.—The members of the DESERET TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION shall be ACTIVE, CORRESPONDING, and HONORARY.

SEC. 2.—Professors of the Typographical Art, permanently residing in Great Salt Lake City, and of good standing in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, may become ACTIVE members, by signing this Constitution, and paying an admission fee of two dollars and a half.

SEC. 3.—Residents of other cities and settlements in this Territory, may be elected CORRESPONDING members by a vote of two thirds of the members present, and the payment of an admission fee of two dollars.

SEC. 4.—HONORARY members shall be admitted by a like vote of two thirds.

SEC. 5.—All members may participate in the discussion; but the privilege of voting, and eligibility to office shall be confined to ACTIVE members.

SEC. 6.—A monthly contribution of twenty five cents shall be paid by each ACTIVE member.

SEC. 7.—HONORARY members shall be free from assessments of every kind whatever.

SEC. 8.—For immoral conduct, a member may be impeached, and expelled the Association, by a vote of

two thirds of the members present, after affording every reasonable facility for a fair and impartial trial. If he be an officer, the Association shall proceed to fill his place by ballot.

ARTICLE III.

OFFICERS.

The Officers of the Association shall be a President, First and Second Counselors, Clerk, Assistant Clerk, Trustee, and Librarian; a Committee on Questions, a Committee on Lectures, and a Committee on the Library.

SEC. 2.—The Officers of the Association shall be chosen annually, on the first Tuesday in May, by a majority of all the members present.

ARTICLE IV.

Stated meetings of the Association shall be held at the Typographical Hall on the first Wednesday of each month; and an Anniversary Meeting once a year—the time to be appointed by the Association.

ARTICLE V.

BY-LAWS to the Constitution shall be proposed at one stated meeting of the Association, and acted on at another.

ARTICLE VI.

Any motion to amend or repeal this Constitution shall not take effect unless by consent of two thirds of

the members present; but any rule may be suspended by vote of two thirds of the members in attendance.

PHINEAS H. YOUNG,
JAMES McKNIGHT,
BRIGHAM H. YOUNG,
GEO. Q. CANNON,
JOHN G. CHAMBERS.
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